

StatsUpdate

Topic:

Employment Insurance (EI)

March (preliminary)

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Background:

In March 2014, an estimated **780** people received regular Employment Insurance (EI) benefits in Nunavut. This is an increase of **2.6%** or **20 people** from March 2013. In Canada, the number of people receiving regular EI benefits decreased by **2.5%** over the same period.

Detail:

Number of People Receiving Regular Employment Insurance Benefits by Age and Sex, Nunavut and Canada				
	March 2014 ^B	March 2013	March 2014 Compared to March 2013	March 2014 Compared to March 2013
	Number		Change in Number	% Change
Nunavut				
Both sexes	780	760	20	2.6
Under 25 years	100	110	-10	-9.1
25 to 54 years	630	600	30	5.0
55 years and over	50	50	0	0.0
Men	400	410	-10	-2.4
Women	380	350	30	8.6
Canada				
Both sexes	892,980	915,680	-22,700	-2.5
Under 25 years	92,180	99,320	-7,140	-7.2
25 to 54 years	627,790	645,840	-18,050	-2.8
55 years and over	173,010	170,520	2,490	1.5
Men	491,050	499,470	-8,420	-1.7
Women	401,930	416,220	-14,290	-3.4

Notes:

- ^B preliminary
- Number of people receiving regular EI benefits excludes claimants receiving training, job creation, self-employment benefits and other employment and support measures. EI statistics indicate the number of people who received EI benefits and should not be confused with Labour Force Survey data, which gives the total number of unemployed persons.
- All EI data series have been the subject of an historical revision going back to January 1997.
- Data may not add up to totals as a result of rounding.

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